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PART IV.
OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 16th Saturday in 1912 (20th April 1912).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains				
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912								
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5				
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7		
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...				
	„ City & Taluk	...	...	...	36	1	75	2	09	— 0	34		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hoskote	...	...	...	33	...	...	1	38	— 1	38				
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	23	...	14	1	51	— 1	37	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·99
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	49	...	...	1	66	— 1	66				
	Kankanhalli	...	...	...	28	...	25	1	67	— 1	42	Ragi	14·00	14·00	15·68
	Magadi	...	...	...	37	...	...	1	15	— 1	15	Kulthi	15·75	15·75	...
	Channapatna	...	...	...	21	1	45	1	41	+ 0	04	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·22
	Anekal	...	...	...	31	2	10	1	56	+ 0	54				
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	23	1	48	1	83	— 0	35				
	Closepet	...	...	...	27	1	31	1	42	— 0	11				
	District average	...	...	...	31	...	85	1	57	— 0	72				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	...	26	...	76	...	99	— 0	23				
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	99	— 0	99	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·81
	Chintamani	...	...	...	20	...	05	...	97	— 0	92				
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	44	...	...	1	51	— 1	51				
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	05	...	90	...	73	+ 0	17	Ragi	13·00	13·00	15·71
	Chikballapur	...	...	...	28	...	48	1	46	— 0	98				
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	38	...	14	...	86	— 0	72				
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	73	— 0	73	Kulthi	15·25	15·50	...
	Malur	...	...	...	25	...	50	1	25	— 0	75				
	Srinivaspur	...	...	...	31	...	...	1	44	— 1	44				
	Gudibanda	...	...	...	35	...	30	...	82	— 0	52	Kadale	8·75	8·75	8·70
	District average	...	...	...	27	...	29	1	07	— 0	78				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	...	...	11	...	12	1	45	— 1	33				
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	15	...	65	...	70	— 0	05				
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	22	1	24	1	01	+ 0	23				
	Sira	...	...	...	04	...	32	...	66	— 0	34	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·94
	Gubbi	...	...	...	13	...	89	...	91	— 0	02				
	Tiptur	...	...	...	32	3	01	...	65	+ 2	36	Ragi	15·00	15·00	17·31
	Pavagada	...	...	...	08	1	...	...	49	+ 0	51	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Kunigal	...	...	...	27	...	...	1	03	— 1	03	Kadale	10·00	10·00	8·47
	Koratagere	...	...	...	13	...	50	...	84	— 0	34				
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	31	...	60	...	91	— 0	31				
	District average	...	...	...	18	...	83	...	87	— 0	04				

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		This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
1		2	3	4	5	6		7		
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.				
	Mysore	... ...	... 65	1 13	2 ...	— 0 87				
	Chamrajnagar	... ...	... 72	... 68	1 97	— 1 29		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Seringapatam	... ...	... 47	... 35	1 65	— 1 30	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·76
	Hunsur	... ...	... 57	... 04	1 54	— 1 50				
	Yedatore	... ...	... 23	... 40	1 21	— 0 81	Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·65
	Heggaddevankote	... 35	... 89	... 92	2 31	— 1 39	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Gundlupet	... ...	... 81	... ...	2 67	— 2 67	Kadale	10·50	11·00	9·66
	Nanjangud	... ...	... 21	... 34	2 27	— 1 93				
	T.-Narsipur	... ...	... 72	... 19	1 44	— 1 25				
	Malvalli	... ...	... 53	... 20	1 41	— 1 21				
	Mandya	... ...	... 64	... 42	1 65	— 1 23				
	Krishnarajpete	... ...	... 30	3 44	1 48	+ 1 96				
	Nagamangala	... ...	... 43	... 93	1 32	— 0 39				
	District average...	... 03	... 63	... 70	1 77	— 1 07				
	Hassan	... ...	... 32	1 05	1 15	— 0 10				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	... ...	... 42	... 35	1 52	— 1 17	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·69
	Arkalgud	... ...	... 53	3 61	1 37	+ 2 24				
	Belur	... ...	... 54	... 73	1 54	— 0 81	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·26
	Channarayapatna	... ...	... 46	... 21	1 15	— 0 94	Kulthi	16·00	15·00	...
	Arsikere	... ...	... 20	... 97	... 81	+ 0 16	Kadale	9·00	8·00	8·72
	Hole-Narsipur	... ...	... 56	... 97	1 79	— 0 82				
	Alur	... ...	... 57	1 09	1 54	— 0 45				
	District average...	... ...	... 45	1 12	1 36	— 0 24				
	Shimoga	... ...	... 38	... 96	1 26	— 0 30				
	Channagiri	... ...	... 05	... 91	... 35	+ 0 56	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	8·25	9·57
	Honnali	... ...	... 10	... 43	... 54	— 0 11				
	Shikarpur	... ...	... 26	1 22	... 84	+ 0 38	Ragi	17·00	18·00	19·81
	Sorab	... 40	... 04	1 43	... 56	+ 0 87	Kulthi	13·50	13·00	...
	Sagar	... 60	... 19	2 07	1 12	+ 0 95				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	... 70	... 20	1 24	... 77	+ 0 47				
	Tirthahalli	... ...	... 13	1 41	... 86	+ 0 55				
	Kumsi	... ...	... 70	... 46	1 43	— 0 97				
	District average...	... 19	... 23	1 13	... 86	+ 0 27				
	Chikmagalur	... ...	... 38	1 19	1 61	— 0 42				
	Kadur	... ...	... 22	... 63	... 87	— 0 24	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·41
	Tarikere	... ...	... 23	... 55	... 56	— 0 01				
	Koppa	... 10	... 46	2 87	2 36	+ 0 51	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·43
	Mudgere	... ...	... 52	2 25	1 99	+ 0 26	Kulthi	13·00	12·00	...
	Yedahalli	... ...	... 47	1 20	1 35	— 0 15	Kadale	8·50	8·50	8·89
	Sringeri	... 86	... 35	2 43	1 12	+ 1 31				
	District average...	... 14	... 37	1 59	1 40	+ 0 19				
	Chitaldrug	... ...	... 12	... 90	... 71	+ 0 19				
	Challakere	... ...	... ...	... 15	... 38	— 0 23	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	7·50	8·13
	Hiriyur	... ...	... 16	... ...	... 78	— 0 78				
	Holalkere	... ...	... 24	... 05	... 96	— 0 91	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·77
	Davangere	... ...	... 05	... 68	... 25	+ 0 43	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Molakalmuru	... ...	... ...	1 42	... 46	+ 0 96	Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·03
	Jagalur	... ...	... 12	... 70	... 66	+ 0 04	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·44
	Hosdurga	... ...	... 14	2 10	... 70	+ 1 40				
	Harihar	... ...	... 04	... 63	... 66	— 0 03				
	District average...	... ...	... 10	... 74	... 62	+ 0 12				
	Provincial average...	... 05	... 32	... 91	1 19	— 0 28				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	7:47	7:19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14:17	13:40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Cattle are generally in good condition. But stray cases of "Black-quarter" are reported to be prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in parts of the Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; and weeding operations in Vaisakhi paddy fields are going on in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—

Sugar cane in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk, yield from 4 to 16 annas.
Do Devanhalli Taluk, yield from 4 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Clearing weeds in the paddy fields and sugar gardens of the Goribidnur Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane under tanks in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in the Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—

Sugar cane in Sidlaghatta and cholum in the Bagepalli Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Excepting the Mulbagal Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy in the other taluks.